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SUBJECT: OPIC FINANCING FOR CREDIT MOSCOW BANK

REF: STATE 42710

11. Embassy has no objection to the proposed USD 5 million OPIC loan guaranty to expand Credit Moscow Bank's SME lending program.

12. Embassy has no adverse information regarding Credit Moscow Bank or its shareholders. Embassy has no information that could adversely affect the long-term prospects for this project.
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